Vocational Training Centres for SCs/STs in Bihar

4936. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are running vocational training centres for SCs and STs in the State of Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof, district-wise;

(c) the funds provided to the State for running these Centres during the last three years, year-wise;

(d) whether Government propose to open some more such centres in the State in the near future; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL): (a) There are no Vocational Training Institutes under Cratsman Training Scheme of National Council for Vocational Training (NCVT) which have been established exclusively for SCs/STs in the State of Bihar.

The State Government of Bihar have indicated that there is one Welfare Institute at Ranchi. The SC/ST candidates are given reservation in Admission as per norms. In other Government Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) also there is provision for reservation for SC/ST candidates in admission.

Moreover, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment and Ministry of Tribal Affairs have been running vocational Training Centres for SC and ST candidates respectively.

(b) and (c) The details of Vocational Training Centres for SC and ST candidates and the funds released as per available information are given in the Statement and Statement-I (*See* below).

(d) and (e) There are no proposal from Government of Bihar for starting ITIs exclusively for SCs/STs.

However, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment and Ministry of Tribal Affairs propose to open such Centres in the State of Bihar if the State Government submits/recommends more proposals under the Scheme.

Statement-I

Details of Vocational Training Centres for SCs/District-wise in the State of Bihar and Funds Provided

(Information given by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment)

S. No.	Name of the Organisation	Project	Amount released (in Rs.) 97-98	98-99	99-2000
District: Nalanda					
1.	Bhartiy: Jan Kalyan Samiti, Vill & PO Konand, Distt. Nalanda.	Craft Centre	54,135	13,892	—
District: Muzzafarpur					
1.	Tirhut Vikash Munch, V&PO Barhad (Hathodi Khanapur)	-do-	2,56,590	—	—
District: Sitamarhi					
1.	Taryani Devayathen, Tara Nagar, Chhatauni Via Meenapur.	-do-	2,46,510	3,62,701	—
District: Gaya					
1.	Grameena Vekas Sansthan Kormathu, Gaya.	1. Typing & Shorthand 2. Craft Centre 3. Motor Driving Centre.	1,63,717	—	—
District: Patna					
1.	Samagra Vikas Samaj Kalyan Sansthan, 6H/24, Bhadurpur Housing Colony, Karkarbagh, Patna.	Typing & Shorthand Centre.	—	80,725	—
2.	Mahila Muktivahini, Alkapuri, Gardanibagh, Patna-800 002	Typing & Shorthand Centre.	74,700	74,700	—
District: Rohtas					
1.	Mushar Jati Kalyan Seva Sangh, Off. Mohania, Kamur (Bhabhua) Rohtas, Bihar.	Typing & Shorthand Centre.	—	—	61,800
District: Jamshedpur					
1.	Women in Social Action, Raghunathpur Jhargram.	ITI	—	—	2,32,327

Statement-II

Details of Vocational. Training Centres for STs/District-wise of Bihar and Funds Provided

(Information given by Ministry of Tribal Ajfairsptnl

Three Vocational Training Centres (VTCs) were sanctioned during the year 1994-95 and district-wise details are as under:-

S.No.	Name of Distt.	No. of Centres.
1.	Gumla	1
2.	Chiniagarhwa	1
3.	Dumka	1

No funds were released dunng the last three years. During,the year 1994-95 anamountof Rs. 44.34 lakh was released for these three centres. The State Government has unspent amount of Rs. 24.19 lakh. The further grant will be released after the utilization of previous grant.

Impact of reforms of Labour Product Market

1937. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state'

(a) whether it is true that according to report by the World Bank, impact of reforms of labour product market are limited both the rate of growth and its labour intensity;

(b) if so. the details thereof;

(c) whether Government plan to make some drastic reforms in the labour hour to improve upon its efficehcy and accountability?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (DR. SATYA NARAYAN,JATIYA): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Scheme to Cover Agricultural and Unorganised Workers

4938. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state whether Government has any scheme or proposal to cover all agriculture or organised workers under social safety rate, minimum EPF, ESIC, Pension, gratuity and Health Care for all workers!